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DIED.

Mrs. Bettie Tankersley, wife of Saml A. Tankersley, died at her home at East Lexington, Monday evening, aged sixty-six years. Death was caused by liver and kidney trouble. Mrs. Tankersley was a daughter of Jacob Miley, deceased, of near Fairfield. She is survived by her husband and six children—four boys and two girls: Benton, Charles, Arthur, Frank, Miss Annie, and Mrs. John Bare.

The funeral took place to-day at 11 o'clock from the Baptist church, of which the deceased was a member, the pastor, Rev. T. A. Johnson, conducting the service. Her four sons acted as pallbearers.

MARRIED.

On Wednesday evening, September 14th, at the residence of the bride's father, Col. John A. Gibson, of Timber Ridge, Mrs. Ressa O'Brien was married to Rev. D. P. Neil, pastor of Timber Ridge Associate Reformed Presbyterian church. The ceremony was performed by Rev. S. W. Haddon, of Old Providence.

MISS WILKINS' FIRST GOOD PICTURES.

The first portraits taken of Mary E. Wilkins which she has ever liked will be printed in the October Ladies' Home Journal. There will be nine of them, and they will show the famous New England story-teller at home and with her friends around her.

LARGE YEALD

Mr. Wm. A. Ruff, cut from 14 acres of upland 70 tons of clover and timothy hay. He lost 8 tons by wet weather on the same land, and could now cut a second crop of 20 tons.

HAD HEARD ABOUT IT.

Stonewall, Va., Sept. 8th, 1898.—Rebecca J. Miller of this place was an invalid for several years and was weakened by repeated attacks of illness. She was very nervous, had no appetite and was troubled with nervous headache. Having heard so much about Hood's Sarsaparilla she decided to try it and a few bottles of this medicine enabled her to eat and sleep well and her health is now better than it has been for years.

Rev. Frank Price and family, are the guests of Mrs. E. P. Allan.

Prof. H. W. Barclay, has returned to his home in Ronceverte.

Mrs. W. F. Wilkerson, is visiting her father in Botetourt county.

Mrs. Bettie Stuart, is the guest of friends on Buffalo.

J. McD. Adair and son, William, are in New York.

Miss Engenia Bumgardner, of Staunton, is the guest of friends here.

Capt. R. E. Freeman, of Danville, was the guest of his father, Dr. J. H. Freeman, on Friday.

Miss Edie Houston, who has been the guest of her father, Judge W. P. Houston, has returned to her home in Mexico.

Mrs. Jayhugh Wills and son, Hugh, have returned from a delightful visit to the family of Mr. Edward Ruff, at Longwood.

Jno. T. Wilson, of Wilsons Springs, has returned home from a months visit to Craig Healing Spring near Craig City, greatly improved in health, we are glad to learn.

LEXINGTON IN BRIEF.

Pithy News Items Gleaned All Over The Town by Our Reporter.

INTERESTING PERSONALS.

A Cyclorama Showing The Movements Of Our People And Their Friends.

Miss Rosa Quisenberry has returned from a visit to Roanoke.

Engene Boone, of Salem, is visiting relatives here.

Miss Bertha Howell is visiting friends in Philadelphia.

Miss Mamie Weaver of Staunton, is visiting relatives here.

Miss Fannie Bell, of Lewisburg, W. Va., is visiting Mrs. A. D. Campbell.

W. L. Criger and Misses Amy Whitehurst, Laura and Lottie Seal spent Sunday at the Rockbridge Alum.

T. S. Burwell, manager of the Telephone Exchange, was in Staunton Saturday.

Dr. A. D. Estill and wife have returned from a visit of several weeks to New York and Canada.

Thomas S. White and wife are at the Hot Springs, Bath county, for their health.

Captain Sidney Williamson, U. S. Engineers, is the guest of the Misses Bacon.

Mrs. Robert L. Dabney and her sister, Miss H. N. Morrison, of Victoria, Texas, are visiting Mrs. Addison Hogue.

Miss Ettie Hardy, of Appomattox county, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. J. C. Shields, of near Riverside.

Misses Mattie and Lucy Christian, of Richmond, are visiting Miss Martha Campbell.

Misses Florence Parrent and Bessie Blackburn, of Staunton, are visiting Mrs. Josiah Wilmer, of Riverside.

Major David D. Price of the Third Virginia Regiment, who has been visiting his family here, has returned to Richmond.

Livingston W. Smith has gone to Waynesboro where he has accepted a position as one of the instructors in Fishburne's Military Academy.

Rev. P. F. Price, who has been engaged in missionary work in China for the past eight years, occupied the pulpit of the Presbyterian church Sunday morning and evening.

Miss Margaret Witt, daughter of Circuit Court Clerk R. B. Witt, left Thursday for Danville, to attend the Roanoke Female Seminary. She was accompanied by Miss Lulu Paxton, of Buena Vista.

Rev. John G. Meem and wife, are visiting friends here. They have lately returned from Pelotas, Brazil, where they have been stationed as missionaries from the Episcopal church. Mr. Meem graduated from the Virginia Military Institute in the class of 1884, and carried off the first Jackson-Hope medal. The couple will remain in this country a year before returning to their field of labor.

At Friday's session of the Christian Endeavor convention at Alexandria, Mrs. John A. Jackson, of Lexington, was made a member of the committee to select the next place of meeting. W. R. Kennedy was re-elected president of the society for another year. Rev. C. W. Trawick, of Buena Vista, was elected third vice-president. Dr. James Lewis Howe and W. R. Kennedy, of Lexington, were elected trustees of the United Society. Dr. Howe was also elected chairman of the Press committee.

DON'T SHOOT NEAR THE ROAD.

Several Lynchburgers have recently been fined by the Campbell county authorities for shooting within less than a hundred yards of the public road. Bat shooters and gunners in general should remember there is a law against shooting within a hundred yards of a public road. That the law is a good one is universally admitted. A gentleman from Bedford stated to a reporter of The News the other day that as he was driving along in a buggy with his wife, a Lynchburger fired a gun directly in front and within a few feet of his horse. Such a proceeding he declared, was calculated to frighten almost any horse, and as a consequence endanger human life.

CHRONIC ECZEMA CURED BY CUTICURA

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BUENA VISTA.

The Latest Happenings in Our Sister City Reported Especially For The Gazette.

BUENA VISTA, Sept. 20.—The summer is past, the cool nights forecast the approach of winter's chilling breath, and the small boy is again wending his way to the halls of knowledge. In Buena Vista, their school privileges should be ample. Our public school opened on Monday, with Prof. J. P. McCluer as principal and six assistant teachers, and the first day's attendance was over two hundred. We have also four private schools, all well attended. The book question is an important one just at this time and parents are called upon to cast away the old and invest in the new books, often at great inconvenience and expense. If the changes had been made three months ago, it would have given the book seller time to supply himself but we find when school opens that books cannot be had and valuable time is lost, through somebody's neglect.

Rev. W. P. Hamill commenced a series of week day services at the Methodist church last night, which will continue through the week, and perhaps longer.

Rev. L. B. Jureldal, of Mt. Lebanon, Syria, a young Presbyterian minister, preached at the Presbyterian church on Sunday morning and lectured on Monday evening, on the "Customs and Religions of Syria." He had a full house and his lecture was much appreciated by the entire audience. Dressed in the native costume, he told of the religious and social life of his people, in an hour's talk which was a revelation to those unacquainted with the history of this people. His grace of manner and wonderful mastery of the English language, showed his thorough preparation for his life work, bearing the message of salvation back to the region, where our Saviour lived and died.

On Friday night, we will have a missionary discourse, by Rev. P. P. Price, who is now on a short visit to his native land, after an absence of eight years, laboring on the outposts of mission work in China.

The Buena Vista Hotel which has been open during the summer has closed for the season, and Mr. Harrell certainly deserves the success he has achieved. The excellent management has secured a reputation that will insure him a full patronage next season.

The provisions for the entertainment of our people this week ought to be satisfactory to all. While the church people are so amply provided for, the sound of the hobby horse machine with its melodious music is nightly borne to our ears.

The boys, colored population, and some others, are enjoying the privilege of exchanging hard earned nickels for the fleeting pleasures of the merry-go-round.

Our city sergeant had quite a race one day last week, trying to overtake a fleeing fugitive, who broke away when near the jail, and after a short run reached the bank of the river, which he crossed without waiting for the parting of the waters, and left for parts unknown. As the sergeant in hot pursuit, could only say "I'll shoe, shoe, shoe, and the culprit acted on this advice and proceeded to shoe.

S. H. Nichols has sold a small house and lot on 29th street to R. H. Wiseman. Price \$150.

Our City Treasurer and Cashier of the bank took a short jaunt the first of the week to view the beauties of nature, and discuss the results of misplaced confidence. If you want your check endorsed please don't call on either of them.

William Dixon, son of J. G. Dixon is very ill with typhoid fever, and his recovery is considered doubtful.

SENEX

A GREAT CIRCUS EVENT.

The Big Consolidation of The Greater Circuses.

When it was reliably confirmed that the Sells Brothers, J. A. Bailey and Col. W. F. Cody—Buffalo Bill—representing the three most famous and successful shows in the West, had agreed to consolidate their forces and present a new and improved show, there was a howl of surprise among the animals, and some of the inferior concerns have vainly striven to cast odium of suspicion upon the genuineness and motives of the momentous deal. Speaking of it the always reliable and conservative New York Times editorially said:

"The Great Adams Forepaugh Show" was founded nearly half a century ago, and purchased by Mr. Bailey on the death of its owner in 1890. It was famous for its menageries. These, together with the cages, horses and all the material of the Forepaugh show, will now be added to the already big show of Sells Brothers."

This combination was widely announced by the press as a matter of unusual importance and interest, and the papers of over a hundred cities, from New York to San Francisco, have since pronounced it a fact, resulting in a most stupendous, magnificent and honorable entertainment. Its appearance in Lexington on Saturday, October 8th, serves notice that no other big show will visit this section this season, and is a warning to inferior ones, which most of them will heed, to their great relief and benefit. Among the aggregation of pageants, menageries, acts and merry-making performances promised will be seen the largest, finest and only double free street parade, two distinct herds of performing elephants, educated in different schools; two grand menageries, neither of which has ever been surpassed in either size or quality, and which contain many rare wild beasts never before exhibited, and nowhere else to be seen; a circus confederation including three rings, two Olympian stages, an animal arena, amphibious actors, a thrilling aerial exhibition, and introducing something like a hundred brilliant and foreign artists; and a gay, glorious and rushing programme of the hippodrome races of Nero's era and the thoroughbred struggles of these fast times, in which wild beasts, charioteers, jockeys and barback riders will break the record and create a furore. The event will mark a new and greater era in the most popular kind of entertainment.

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IN THE OCTOBER LADIES' HOME JOURNAL

Mrs. Caroline Arwater Mason, author of "A Minister of the World," begins a new story called "THE MINISTER OF CARTHAGE," depicting a young clergyman's high sense of duty battling with love and something akin to ambition.

Josiah Allen's Wife

Has written another story for the JOURNAL readers. She tells in it about a sickly society girl, and what brought her to her senses and good health.

In Mary E. Wilkins'

Capital new story a metropolitan woman does some very funny things, and in trying to elevate the village, she learns a thing or two.

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J. McD. Adair.

MISS WINNIE DAVIS DEAD.

She Passed Away at Narragansett Pier, R. I., at Noon Sunday.

Narragansett Pier, R. I., Sept. 18.—Miss Winnie Davis, daughter of Jefferson Davis, died at the Rockingham Hotel at noon to-day, after a long illness.

Miss Davis came here as a guest in the early part of the Pier's social season. Her ailment was diagnosed as malarial gastritis. It was thought that her removal from the hotel would be possible in a few days, as she grew better, but last night a relapse was noticed. Mrs. Davis had watched unremittently at her daughter's bedside.

Miss Winnie Davis was the daughter of Jefferson Davis by his second wife, a Miss Howell, of Natchez, Miss., who is still living. She signed her name as Varina Anne Jefferson-Davis. She was 35 years old at her death and was born during the progress of the war. She was educated at Karlsruhe, Germany, and was of delicate health. Since her father's death she has passed much of her time with her mother in the North and made several visits to Europe. In 1890 her engagement was announced to Alfred Wilkinson, of Syracuse, N. Y., but the marriage never took place. Miss Davis has given the public two novels: "The Veiled Doctor" and "A Romance of Summer Seas."

The Democrats demanded an "income tax" as a war revenue measure. The Republicans denied this to the people, but taxed everything used by the laboring man.

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